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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Skinner et al.

Title:

WIRELESS MESSAGING REGISTRATION SYSTEM

AND METHOD

Appl. No.:

09/903,132

Appl. Filing Date:

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

- 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)
 - a. Previously submitted:

| [] | Please enter and consider the amendment/reply previously filed on |
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| [] | Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on but not |
| | considered. |

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| [] | | Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on |
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| [] | | Other |
| b. | Enc | losed are: |

[X] Amendment/Reply (9 pages).

Miscellaneous:

[] Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of __ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

| | Claims as Amended | | Previously Paid For | | Extra Claims Present | | Rate | | Fee Totals |
|------------------|----------------------|-------|------------------------|----------|-------------------------|-----|----------|---|------------|
| RCE Fee 1.17(e): | | | | | | | \$790.00 | = | \$790.00 |
| Total Claims: | · 25 | - | 25 | = 0 | | x | \$50.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Independents | 3 | - | 3 | = 0 | | x | \$200.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| First p | resentation o | f any | / Multiple [| Depender | nt Claims: | + | \$360.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| | | | _ | | CLAIMS | FEE | TOTAL: | = | \$790.00 |

[] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

| [] Extension for response filed within the second month: \$450.00 [] Extension for response filed within the third month: \$1,020.00 [] Extension for response filed within the fourth month: \$1,590.00 [] Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2,160.00 EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL: | \$0.00 |
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| EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL: | \$0.00 |
| | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: | \$790.00 |
| [] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above): | \$0.00 |
| [] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE: | \$790.00 |

- [X] A check in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

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